# Fw: UPPER ANIMAS (085M) and UPPER CEMENT CREEK (A830)

Nevetta Chapman to: Mike Rudy, Lourdes Deppmeier

06/11/2012 10:48 AM

From: Nevetta Chapman/R8/USEPA/US

To:

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#### FYI

Thanks in advance,

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From: Peter Hendrickson/CI/USEPA/US
To: Nevetta Chapman/R8/USEPA/US@EPA
Cc: Gregory Luebbering/CI/USEPA/US@EPA

Date: 06/06/2012 04:44 AM

Subject: Re: UPPER ANIMAS (085M) and UPPER CEMENT CREEK (A830)

# Nevetta,

The special account movement requested below has been completed. Please let us know if you need anything else.

# Region - 08

SA Number	SA Name	Fund	Cumulative Receipts	Transfer To Trust Fund	Interest	Disbursements	Open Obligations	Available Balance
085M	UPPER ANIMAS MINI	TR2B	\$44,314.01	\$0.00	\$2,760.67	\$20,026.00	\$0.00	\$27,048.68
Totals for	Site:		\$44,314.01	\$0.00	\$2,760.67	\$20,026.00	\$0.00	\$27,048.68
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A830	UPPER CEMENT CRE	TR2B	\$243,438.09	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$243,438.09
Totals for	Site:		\$243,438.09	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$243,438.09

Sincerely,

Peter M. Hendrickson II Accountant Federal Payment Team Cincinnati, OH (513) 487 - 2086

Nevetta Chapman---06/01/2012 04:51:01 PM---Per the attached email traffic this is request to transfer 90% of the available balance from (085M)

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Per the attached email traffic this is request to transfer 90% of the available balance from (085M) - Upper Animas Mining to (A830) Upper Cement Creek.

Please transfer \$243,438.09 of the available balance from 085M to A830 - Upper Cement Creek. Upper Animas should have a remaining balance of \$27,048.68.

Reg ion	Accou nt No	Account Name	Receipt \$	Trust Fund \$	Interest \$	Disburseme nt \$	Open Obligation \$	Avail Bal \$
08	085M	UPPER ANIMAS MINING DISTRICT	\$287,752. 10	\$0.00	\$2,760.6 7	\$20,026.00	\$0.00	\$270,486. 77
		Grand Total	\$287,752. 10	80.00	\$2,760.6 7	\$20,026.00	\$0.00	\$270,486. 77

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Date: 05/10/2012 02:16 PM

Subject: Upper Animas Mining District Site, SSID: 08-5M (Upper Animas), Special Acct, Request for

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Please consider this email request and justification for moving special account funds from the Upper Animas Site to the new Upper Cement Creek special account.

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The Upper Animas Site team recommends transferring ninety percent of the Upper Animas Site special account funds to the Upper Cement Creek special account. The remaining ten percent should remain in the Upper Animas Site special account in order to cover any contract overruns or future obligations.

The Standard Metals Corporation, Sunnyside Mine consent decree for the Upper Animas Site is attached.

[attachment "AZ Standard Metals CD 09.pdf" deleted by Peter Hendrickson/CI/USEPA/US]

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#### Michael Holmes---05/09/2012 01:55:34 PM---I agree w/ Mike R. Mike Holmes US EPA, EPR-SR

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Lourdes, please provide a current Special Acct Balance report, since this will help out with the Memo that Richard Sisk and I will write.

**Thanks** 

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Yes, I agree with Mike and Kelcey.

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So, to recap, I believe the team wants two special accounts, and that Mike and Richard are working on a memo to explain and memorialize that - Martha, is there anything else that we need to do to make this happen? Thanks - Kelcey

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Yes, I agree with Mike and Kelcey.

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Mike Rudy---05/07/2012 01:00:17 PM---Yes, that is preferred. Mike Rudy, Superfund Enforcement

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Yes, that is preferred.

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# -----Kelcey Land/R8/USEPA/US wrote: -----

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No, they want to have money for Upper Cement Creek, a related site - I don't believe they want to close out the Upper Animas account, Richard/Mike - right?

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Martha Walker---05/04/2012 02:57:03 PM---Mike/Lourdes: There have been disbursements from this special account totaling \$20,026. There are

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Mike/Lourdes: There have been disbursements from this special account totaling \$20,026. There are currently no unliquidated obligations. Is it the intent to <u>close-out</u> the Upper Animas (085M) special account and move all of the <u>remaining</u> funds to the Upper Cement Creek (A830) account? Is there no additional work/obligations for <u>085M?</u>

Kelcey: If the intent is to close out 085M, we would need to notify HQ(?) Should we be reconciling 085M for close out prior to transferring the funds to the new account?

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Mike Rudy---04/26/2012 09:16:20 AM---Background: EPA has been receiving insurance settlement under the Standard Metals consent decree f

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Background: EPA has been receiving insurance settlement under the Standard Metals consent decree for Upper Animas. There is approximately \$270K in the Upper Animas Acct. Recently, a new Site was created (Upper Cement Creek, SSID A8-30), which is part of the Upper Animas. I asked Richard Sisk if the Standards Metal Consent Decree will allow EPA to use the Upper Animas Special Acct. funds for the Upper Cement Creek Site. It was his opinion that there was nothing to prohibit us from using the Upper Animas Special Acct. funds for the Upper Cement Creek Site.

The Upper Animas Team is requesting four things:

- 1. A current Upper Animas, Special Acct. Statement.
- 2. Create a new Special Acct. for the Upper Cement Creek Site.
- 3. Transfer of all funds from the Upper Animas, Special Acct. to the new Upper Cement Creek Site Special Acct.
- 4. After the transfer, please provide the Upper Cement Creek Site statement balance.

Thanks,

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